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SUBJECT: EX-IM BANK CONSIDERATION OF ROYAL HOTEL PROJECT

REF: KATHMANDU 5291

1. WE HAVE BEEN ADVISED BY EX-IM BANK THAT BOARD HAS NOT YET TAKEN FINAL DECISION ON HOTEL PROJECT BUT THEY CONFIRM THAT PRESENT INCLINATION IS TO REJECT APPLICATION. HOWEVER, BANK EXPECTS TO HAVE FURTHER TALKS WITH TRIPPE OF PAN AM BEFORE TAKING ANY FURTHER ACTION. FINAL BOARD ACTION NOT LIKELY FOR ANOTHER WEEK OR TWO.

2. BOARD'S CONCERNS ARE ALONG LINES PREVIOUSLY INDICATED STATE 248348 AND HAVE FOCUSED PARTICULARLY ON WHAT IS JUDGED TO BE EXCEEDINGLY HIGH COST PER ROOM LUXURY HOTEL OF THIS SORT. AT LEAST SOME MEMBERS BOARD QUESTION WHETHER THIS IS KIND OF ACTIVITY THE BANK SHOULD BE INVOLVED IN AT PRESENT.

3. BANK IS FULLY AWARE OF CONCERNS EXPRESSED REFTEL

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AND WE ARE RE-EMPHASIZING THEM THROUGH OUR OWN CHANNELS.

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